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Hellos and Goodbyes

Meet the new employees who joined us in February. [READ MORE](#)

Upcoming Events

<u>Date</u>		<u>Event</u>
3/9	Thu	Trans 101: Gender Identity Concepts and Terminology, Caitlin Hepps Keeney, DVM'18 (11:30-12:30 pm, LH3)
3/9	Thu	Van Gogh Vets (8:00 am - 7:00 pm, The Old Breezeway)
3/9	Thu	Students vs. Faculty/Staff Hockey Game (8:30-10:30 pm, Lynah Rink)
3/10	Fri	FH Fox Day: A Celebration of Excellence in Teaching (11:00 am - 1:00 pm, Centennial Room)
3/10	Fri	Seminars in Infection & Immunity , Dr. Herman Staats. Title: Vaccine adjuvants for intranasal immunization. A comparison of responses in different species. (12:15 pm, Boyce Thompson Auditorium)
3/10	Fri	Clinical Sciences Nestle Purina Seminar Series : Immune response genetics in equine medicine, Dr. Doug Antczak, Dorothy McConville (3:00-4:00 pm, C2-537)

- 3/13 Mon Cornell Dairy Center of Excellence: Andrew M. Novakovic, Dyson School
Public regulation of dairy markets: Historical perspectives and contemporary challenges
(4:00-5:00 pm, Stocking Hall)
- 3/14 Tue Resident Seminar Series: Dr. Mark Rishniw, Writing Biomedical Research Papers:
Results (8:00-9:00 am, C2-537)
- 3/16 Thu Dilated Cardiomyopathy (DCM): Etiology, Treatment, and Anesthetic Considerations
(6:00-8:00 pm, C2-537)
- 3/18 Sat White Coat Ceremony (2:00-4:30 pm, Bailey Hall), followed by Cookies & Punch
Reception (Baker Portico, 4:30-6:00 pm)
- 3/18-25 Sat-Sat DVM Spring Break
- 3/21 Tue Baker Institute Seminar: Dr. Praveen Sethupathy, Title:TBD (12:00-1:00 pm Baker/Thaw
Lecture Hall)
- 3/31 Fri Baker Institute Seminar: Dr. Lisa Reynolds, Title: TBD (3:00-4:00 pm Baker/Thaw
Lecture Hall)
- 4/1 Sat Open House (10:00 am-4:00 pm, Cornell College of Veterinary Medicine)
- 4/4 Tue Resident Seminar Series:Writing Biomedical Research Papers: Discussion, Dr. Mark
Rishniw (8:00 -9:00 am, C2-537)
- 4/5 Wed Baker Pet Talks: Pet CPR - Tips from Cornell Experts (6:00-7:30 pm, Baker/Thaw
Lecture Hall)
- 4/7 Fri An Inordinate Fondness for Viruses, Dr. Vincent Racaniello (12:15-1:15pm, Boyce
Thompson Institute, Auditorium)
- 4/11 Tue Resident Seminar Series: Writing Biomedical Research Papers: Figures & Tables, Dr.
Mark Rishniw, (8:00-9:00 am, C2-537)
- 4/14-15 Fri-Sat Large Animal Symposium - Cornell College of Veterinary Medicine

Have Events or Ideas?


Let us know what you would like to see in eNews. Also, please contribute events that you'd like to see get more visibility or even your own articles which might be of interest to your colleagues and the CVM community at-large. To do so, contact eNews at cornellvet@cornell.edu and make sure to put eNews in the subject line.

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A Diagnostic Support System for Veterinary Medicine
Dr. Maurice E. White

**New & Noteworthy**

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Cornell Consultant is a diagnostic support search engine. It is arguably the primary trusted knowledge-base for veterinarians around the world. The site has averaged 300K users per year and 1M views per year for 20 years. This essential tool for veterinary health professionals was developed by Dr. Maurice E. White in collaboration with a series of individuals from Cornell Veterinary Computing over almost 4 decades: John Lewkowicz, Mary Stauble, Penny Ciccone, and Daniel Sheehan.

Consultant contains information on the diseases of dogs, cats, horses, cattle, sheep, goats, pigs, and birds that is updated almost daily from a review of the published veterinary literature. For each disease there is a short description, a list of clinical signs, and current references with links; Consultant users can search

for a disease by name and be provided with that information. Alternatively, they can enter clinical signs and be given a list of diseases for which those signs have been reported; a touch on any of the listed diseases takes them to the entry for that disease. A feature called New and Noteworthy presents links to recent veterinary articles that might be of particular interest.

Since its launch in 1982, it has been in widespread use by modem and discs from 1985-1997, on the web from 1997, and now through Android and Apple apps since 28 Feb 2017.

To access to the web-based resource and/or download the new app, click the web link below:

<http://www.vet.cornell.edu/consultant/Consult.asp> (<http://www.vet.cornell.edu/consultant/Consult.asp>)

Congratulations to Dr. White and his team!



Diversity Town Hall



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"We're trying to allow a space for faculty, student and staff members to say what is important to them, so all needs are at least understood and hopefully addressed," explained VOICE co-president Stephie-Anne Duliepre.

"Cornell has historically been a leader in structural diversity among students," said Greenhill, but "students don't always feel that they are being heard; that their non-academic life seems invisible." All may be well in the lecture hall, for example, but life in the common areas can be less welcoming for students of color", she said. "Events like this bring awareness to these issues and produce concrete activities that will help students be successful inside and outside of the classroom."

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Don Smith Memorial Service



You are invited to attend a memorial service for Professor and Dean Emeritus Donald F. Smith on March 27, 2017 (Monday) at the Moakley House. The service will begin at 12:00 p.m. and refreshments will be available around 1:00 p.m. For planning purposes, it would be most helpful if you rsvp (link below) by March 20 if you are planning to attend.

<http://www.cvent.com/d/15q8sr> (<http://www.cvent.com/d/15q8sr>)

When you click on the link you will see the details regarding the memorial service. There is also a link to a Facebook page where you can share memories of Dr. Smith if you wish to.

For those of you who are receiving this message but did not know Dr. Smith, he was the 9th Dean of the Cornell University, College of Veterinary Medicine, serving from 1997 until 2007. Dr. Smith passed away in October 2016.

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Continental Breakfast (Seminars) Showcase Global Collaborations



The College welcomed international colleagues to give breakfast seminars this past month, including faculty from City University at Hong Kong and Obihiro University of Agriculture and Veterinary Medicine.

On February 2nd, City University representatives Dean Michael Reichel and Dr. Dirk Pfeiffer, director of the Centre for Applied One Health Research and Policy Advice spoke to a packed room regarding the ongoing work at City University's nascent veterinary medicine program.

Pfieffer spoke about the need for a One Health approach to veterinary medicine - particularly in Asia. He cited the sky-rocketing increase in meat consumption in the region, and the impacts this will have on a global scale, both for production and for public health.

Dean Michael Reichel gave an update on City U's plans for the veterinary curriculum, facilities and students, noting that they bought the biggest practice in Hong Kong in order to enable real-world clinical training for students.

On February 28th, Dr. Hisao Kurazono, vice president for international affairs at Obihiro University of Agriculture and Veterinary Medicine gave a lecture on the veterinary education system and research activities at his home institution. Obihiro University and the College have a Memorandum of Understanding to facilitate international academic exchange and to collaborate in areas of biosecurity, population medicine, and toxicology.

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Pet CPR Baker Pet Talks



Baker Pet Talks:
Tips from Cornell Experts

Join us in-person or online

Free parking!

Wednesday, April 5
6:00 - 7:30 pm

Special topic:
Pet CPR

Do you know what to do if your pet suddenly collapses? Learn the basics of cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) so you can help your dog or cat until they can get to a veterinarian.

Join us for this FREE public event!

Daniel Fletcher, PhD, DVM

In this hands-on demonstration:

- Learn how to check the airway
- Learn to do chest compressions and mouth-to-nose ventilation
- Practice CPR on mannequin cats and dogs

Can't make it?
Watch live online:
www.vet.cornell.edu/baker

Baker Pet Talks presented by

Cornell Feline Health Center

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[Print out a color copy of our flyer.](#)



Baker Pet Talks: Pet Health Tips from Cornell Experts will be held at the Baker Institute for Animal Health. [Get directions on Google Maps.](#)

Baker Pet Talks: Tips from Cornell Experts

Do you know what do you if your pet suddenly collapses?

Join us on **April 5th** to learn the basics of cardiopulmonary resuscitation (**CPR**) so you can help your dog or cat until they can get to a veterinarian.

If you can't make it to the Institute, you can watch the demonstration live online. Please check back here soon for more details.

The event will be co-sponsored by the Baker Institute for Animal Health, the research center that brought you the canine parvo vaccine and the world's first successful litter of puppies born via *in vitro* fertilization, and the [Cornell Feline Health Center](#), the first organization dedicated solely to improving the lives of cats. This is an event for animal lovers of all ages and admission is free.

In this hands-on demonstration:

- **Learn how to check the airway**
- **Learn to do chest compressions and mouth-to-snout ventilation**
- **Practice CPR on mannequin cats and dogs**

Presenter:

[Daniel J. Fletcher, PHD, DVM](#)

Dr. Fletcher is Cornell University College of Veterinary Medicine's Associate Professor of Emergency and Critical Care and co-chair of the [RECOVER Initiative](#), which published the first evidence-based veterinary CPR guidelines in 2012. He has taught CPR courses all over the world.

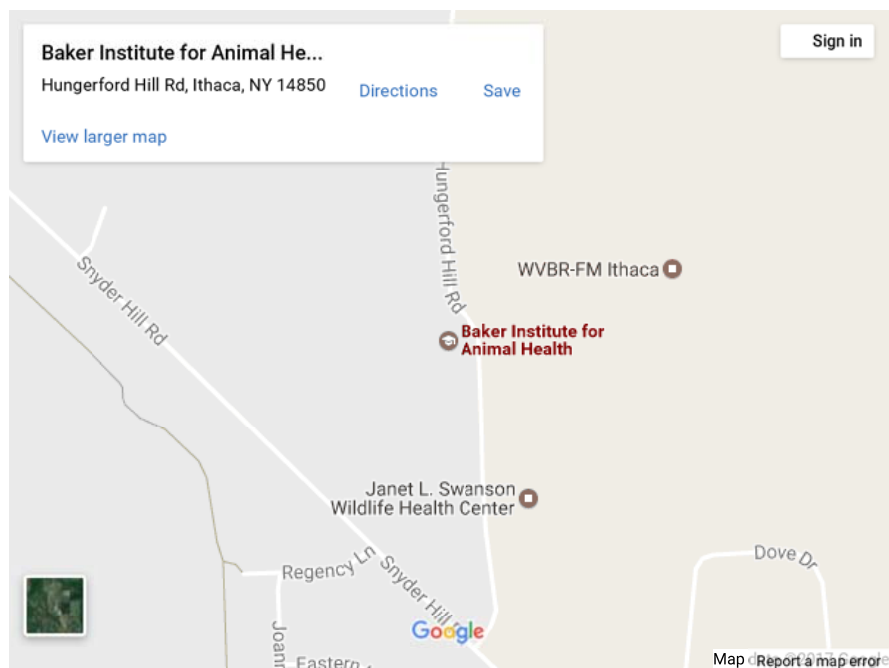
Wednesday, April 5, 2017

6:00 - 7:30 PM

The Baker Institute is located less than five minutes from campus, off of Snyder Hill Road and Ellis Hollow Road and has ample, free parking.

The Baker Institute for Animal Health
235 Hungerford Hill Road
Ithaca, NY 14853

Do not hesitate to contact us by phone (607) 256-5652 or [email](#) if you have any questions.





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CVM Class Expansion Construction Update #26 - March 1, 2017



Tile work in new cafeteria area

Construction Camera – VMIT has installed a camera for live viewing of the project. Coming Soon - new interior location to see what's happening inside! <http://web.vet.cornell.edu/college/construction/constructioncam.cfm>

What's happening and what's ahead?

Construction

- Construction for new Library/MRC/Dean's Suite wing continues. Interior framing and infrastructure installations continue. Scheduled for completion August 2017.
- Construction of the new cafeteria continues. Interior framing and infrastructure installations continue. Scheduled for completion August 2017.
- New Atrium and lecture hall building is enclosed. Interior framing, infrastructure installations continue. Block work to follow.
- Temporary Gallery wall has been taken down.
- Some temporary walls will be constructed in the Schurman tutorial corridors.
- Glass curtain wall is being installed on new Library wing and courtyard side of New Atrium.

VRT

- The new glass curtain wall assembly and office relocations are complete.
- Left to do - Punch list items and perimeter heat water hydronic balancing.
- The design efforts for levels 6 and 7 floor renovations are currently underway. Construction will tentatively begin in early Spring 2017.


Community Practice Service Building

- G.M. Crisalli & Associates is contractor.
- Demolition of the existing Poultry Virus Lab and construction of the new building will begin March 2017, with completion March 2018.

Questions or Concerns – Please call the CVM Facilities Office @ (607) 253-4455 or (607) 253-3725 or e-mail cvmexpansion@cornell.edu or wad2@cornell.edu.

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New Employees


	Employee	Unit	Position
	Hector Aguilar-Carreno	Microbiology & Immunology	Associate Professor

	Patrick C. Carney	Clinical Sciences	Assistant Professor
	Nathan Deeley	Baker Institute	Facilities Manager
	Sutapa Ghosh	Research & Graduate Education	Grant Contract Associate
	Bonnie S. Hockenberry	Biomedical Sciences	Finance Specialist

	Maria de Jesus Forzan	Population Medicine	Sr. Research Associate
	Shirley L. Markant	Clinical Sciences	Research Associate
	Monifa Morgan-Bell	Accounting Service Center	Accounts Representative
	Amelia Greiner Safi	MPH	Sr. Research Associate

	Peter Sciabarra	CUHA	LVT Tech-in-Training
	Mary Ellen Zylich	AHDC	Technician

Retirees

	Employee	Unit	Position
	Pixie Senesac	AHDC	Medical Technologist

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